

### III. QUALITY ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES

#### C. Inclusive Early Learning Programs

Describe the quality activities and services the coalition will implement to enhance inclusive early learning programs.

The Coalition has an Inclusion Specialist on staff who provides Inclusion Warm Line services including parent phone and in person consultation, onsite observation, and technical assistance. The Inclusion Specialists also provides training and technical assistance to the providers as requested. Training and Technical Assistance includes but is not limited to curriculum issues, strategies for managing behavior, child development concerns, health, environmental adaptation, laws and regulations and specific disabilities.

Supportive Intervention Services (SIS) are provided for children identified by ASQ or referral. Typically, these children do not meet the requirement for formal intervention through IDEA Part B or Part C. SIS Specialists work with educators and parents to develop case plans appropriate for the child or site.

Looking Beyond Behavior- Young children often have challenging behaviors as they are developing socially and emotionally. Children exposed to trauma are especially prone to acting out. LBB is a training series that incorporates Positive Behavior Supports, Conscious Discipline and Trauma Informed Care and Mind in the Making. This was coupled with intense coaching to help participants apply the concepts with children in the early learning setting.